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**RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action issued December 28, 2006, Applicants request reconsideration and allowance based on the remarks set forth below.

A request for a 3-month extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) and fee under 37 C.F.R. §17(a)(3) is submitted herewith, making the deadline for filing a response, Thursday, June 28, 2007.

A Notice of Appeal is filed concurrently herewith, along with the fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b).

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